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SUBJECT: SHABA AFFAIR

USYG BUFFUM TOLD AMBASSADOR LEONARD TODAY THAT IN DISCUSS-
ING SHABA AFFAIR WITH GENERAL ASSEMBLY PRESIDENT MOJSOV,
LATTER EXPRESSED CONVICTION THAT CUBANS WERE NOT INVOLVED
AT ALL BUT THAT EAST GERMANS POSSIBLY WERE. BUFFUM COM-
MENTED THAT HE HAS FOUND MOJSOV INFORMATION ON SUCH MATTERS
TO BE AMAZINGLY ACCURATE, AND MOJSOV CITED SEVERAL
CIRCUMSTANTIAL DETAILS TO BOLSTER HIS JUDGEMENT. HE SAID,
FOR EXAMPLE, THAT ONE EAST GERMAN AMBASSADOR IN THE AREA
HAD RECENTLY BEEN RELIEVED OF HIS POST FOR EXCESSIVE
ACTIVISM AGAINST ZAIRE. YOUNG. UNQUOTE VANCE
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